

The State of Texas,

COUNTY OF

Know all Men by these Presents, That we *Alfred Chandler* as principal, and *Harrison Stiff* & *David O'Brien* as sureties, are held and firmly bound unto the State of Texas in the penal sum of *Five Hundred Dollars* lawful money of the Confederate States of America, for which payment, well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, and each of us, our and each of our heirs, executors and administrators, for and in the whole, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents.

Signed with our hands and sealed with our seals. Dated this the *4th Day of September* A. D. 1863.

The nature of this obligation is such, That, whereas, the above bounden *Alfred Chandler* was on the *15th of September* A. D. 1863, commissioned by *F. R. Lubbock*, Governor of the State of Texas, Assistant Quarter Master and Commissary, (with the rank of Captain,) of the *15th Brigade* of Texas State Troops, commanded by *Col J. B. Wilmeth* to rank as such from the *15th of September* A. D. 1863.

Now if the said *Alfred Chandler* shall well and faithfully discharge all the duties of such Assistant Quarter Master and Commissary, and shall truly and lawfully account to the proper officers of the State of Texas, for all public monies, property and stores that has come, or hereafter may come, into his hands, or possession, by virtue of said office, then this obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force and virtue.

Alfred Chandler
David O'Brien
Harrison Stiff

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I, Alfred Chandler do solemnly swear that I will be faithful and true allegiance bear the State of Texas, so long as I may be a citizen thereof, and that I will, to the best of my ability, discharge the duties of ~~Assistant Quarter Master~~ ~~and~~ ~~Company~~ ~~Texas State Troop~~ and that I will preserve, protect and defend the Constitution of the State of Texas and of the Confederate States. So help me God.

Alfred Chandler

Sworn to and Subscribed to before me the undersigned acting Justice of the peace for Collier County, in the State of Texas

John Shubert J. D.

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Personally appeared before me the undersigned authority
David Martin to me personally known, and being
by me lawfully sworn, says, under oath, that he is worth over and above
his debts and liabilities the sum of Five Hundred
Dollars, and that his place of residence is Collins County,
Texas.

John Shubley J. P.
Collin County

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Personally appeared before me the undersigned authority
Harrison Stiff to me personally known, and being
by me lawfully sworn, says, under oath, that he is worth over and above
his debts and liabilities the sum of Five Hundred
Dollars, and that his place of residence is Collin County,
Texas.

John Shubley J. P.
Collin County

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